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SUBJECT: TURKISH REACTION TO HOUSE PASSAGE OF SECURITY  
ASSISTANCE BILL

REF: (A) STATE 134243 (DTG 092325Z JUN 77),  
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1. DRAWING ON GUIDANCE IN REF A, CHARGE OUTLINED TO  
TURKISH PERMREP KIRCA JUNE 14 US INTERPRETATION OF INTRO-  
DUCTION AND DEFEAT OF FINDLEY MOTION.
2. KIRCA LISTENED ATTENTIVELY BUT NOTED ROOT PROBLEM IS  
THAT ANKARA IS NOT CONVINCED OF THE ADMINISTRATION'S FUND-  
AMENTAL WILLINGNESS TO PRESS CONGRESS ON BEHALF OF THE  
TURKISH DCA. THIS VIEW, HE SAID, LEADS TO A GENERAL  
ASSESSMENT IN ANKARA OF THE ADMINISTRATION THAT IS "NOT  
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VERY POSITIVE" AND THAT LAY BEHIND THE PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT  
WHICH THE TURKISH DELEGATION CIRCULATED AT NATO. SPEAKING  
PERSONALLY, KIRCA SAID HE THOUGHT CONGRESSMAN FINDLEY HAD  
MADE A TACTICAL ERROR IN INTRODUCING THE MOTION WITHOUT  
PRIOR CONSULTATIONS WITH THE ADMINISTRATION, A POINT HE  
SAID HE HAD MADE TO FINDLEY DURING LATTER'S RECENT VISIT  
TO BRUSSELS.

3. KIRCA ALSO OBSERVED THAT A COALITION BETWEEN THE REPUBLICAN PEOPLE'S PARTY AND TURKES' NATIONALIST ACTION PARTY MIGHT OFFER ECEVIT A WAY OUT, SHORT OF A GRAND COALITION, WHICH KIRCA VIEWED AS PREFERABLE IF ECEVIT AND DEMIREL COULD AGREE. KIRCA URGED THAT WE NOT BE OVERLY CONCERNED ABOUT TURKES, WHOM HE DESCRIBED AS MODERATE IN GOVERNMENT COUNCILS IN HIS APPROACH TO GREECE-TURKEY AND CYPRUS ISSUES, A SUPPORTER OF NATO AND FULLY AWARE OF THE SOVIET THREAT. KIRCA ALSO NOTED THAT EUROPEAN SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC PARTIES, ESPECIALLY THE SPD, MIGHT USEFULLY INFLUENCE ECEVIT IN THE DIRECTION OF A GRAND COALITION. STREATOR

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